

SENATE RESOLUTION No. ____

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION to honor Senator Larry E. Lutz for his 24 years of distinguished service to the Indiana General Assembly and to congratulate him on his retirement from the Indiana State Senate.

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SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION to honor Senator Larry E. Lutz for his 24 years of distinguished service to the Indiana General Assembly and to congratulate him on his retirement from the Indiana State Senate.

Whereas, Senator Larry E. Lutz, was first elected to the Indiana House of Representatives in 1982 and in 1999 was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Senator Joseph O'Day, is retiring from the Indiana State Senate upon completion of his current term of office after serving 24 years in the Indiana General Assembly;

Whereas, Senator Lutz has been a champion for the people of Southwestern Indiana and has honestly and faithfully served his constituency in Senate District 49 and House District 76 throughout his tenure in the Indiana General Assembly;

Whereas, Senator Lutz has fought to ensure that the state's election procedures remain fair and above partisanship. He has earned the reputation as an outspoken advocate for working families and children, and a strong advocate for the rights and interests of public safety officers;

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Whereas, Senator Lutz has served on numerous legislative standing committees and interim committees, covering a wide range of topics. He currently serves as the ranking minority member of the Senate's Elections & Civic Affairs Committee and also serves on the Pensions & Labor; Governmental Affairs & Interstate Cooperation and Homeland Security standing committees;

Whereas, prior to his service in the Indiana Senate, Senator Lutz served his community in such public service roles, as State Representative District 76 for 16 years and as the Perry Township Assessor (Vanderburgh County);

Whereas, Senator Lutz is a US Army veteran; and a retired firefighter with the City of Evansville Fire Department after 23 years of dedicated service, serving as a district fire chief;

Whereas, Senator Lutz is a committed husband to Mary, his wife of 44 years, a devoted father to their son, Chris, and a loving grandfather to their grandson, Jonathan; and

Whereas, Senator Lutz, with his quiet and easy going demeanor, is admired and respected by everyone in the Indiana General Assembly, and his retirement will be felt by all for many years to come: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1 SECTION 1. That on behalf of the people of the State of Indiana
2 we hereby extend our sincere respect, appreciation and affection to
3 Senator Larry E. Lutz for his dedicated and distinguished service to the
4 citizens of Indiana, the Indiana State Senate and the Indiana General
5 Assembly.

6 SECTION 2. That the Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
7 transmit a copy of this Resolution to Senator Larry E. Lutz and his wife,



1 Mary, and to his son and grandson.

